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REPORT**

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The Committee's November 15, 2007 order granting the motion for stay or suspension requires that Chevron Richmond Refinery submit a status report to the Committee every sixty (60) days. This status report represents the fourth status report.

The Final Environmental Impact Report (FEIR) for the Chevron Energy and Hydrogen Renewal Project (Renewal Project) was made available for review by the City of Richmond on January 25, 2008 and is viewable online at <http://www.ci.richmond.ca.us>. The City of Richmond Planning Commission reviewed the Renewal Project (including the Power Plant Replacement Project) at public hearings held on March 20, April 10, June 5, and June 19, 2008. The FEIR was certified at the June 5 hearing and the Conditional Use Permit (CUP) was approved at the June 19 hearing. Appeals to both Planning Commission actions were timely filed and are expected to be reviewed by the Richmond City Council beginning with its July 15, 2008 meeting. A date for final action by the City Council has not been identified. Chevron Richmond Refinery currently anticipates that the City will take final action on the FEIR and the CUP in the July/August 2008 timeframe. Chevron does not seek to lift the stay or suspension for the Small Power Plant Exemption Application process at this time.

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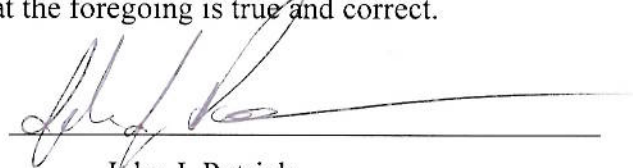
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I, John J. Putrich, declare that on July 14, 2008, I deposited copies of the attached Chevron Richmond Refinery Power Plant Replacement Project's Status Report July 14, 2008 in the United States mail at Sacramento, California with first-class postage thereon fully prepaid and addressed to those identified on the Proof of Service list above.

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